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Title: **VECTORS AND VIRAL VECTORS
PACKAGING CELL LINES FOR
PROPAGATING SAME**

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(IN RESPONSE TO THE OCTOBER 7, 2003 OFFICE ACTION)

Dear Sirs:

Please enter this response (Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. §1.116) to the Office Action mailed on October 7, 2003 in connection with the above-identified application. This response is accompanied by a Petition Under 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b) To Revive An Unintentionally Abandoned Application. This application became unintentionally abandoned after January 7, 2004, which was the date that a response to the October 7, 2003 Office Action was originally due. Upon granting of Applicants' Petition, this Amendment will be considered as having been timely filed.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

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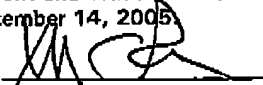
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